



Applicants:

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Jonathan S. Stamler and Andrew J. Gow

Application No.: 08/874,992

Group Art Unit:

1639

Filed: June 12, 1997

Examiner:

B. Celso

Confirmation No.: 3513

For: NO-MODIFIED HEMOGLOBINS AND USES THEREFOR



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on 4-8-03 *Anne*  
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Ann M. Giso  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 2327  
 Arlington, VA 22202

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2003 for one (1) month from March 8, 2003 to April 8, 2003.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	Other than <u>Small Entity</u>
1 month -	<u>X</u> \$ 55	\$ 110
2 months -	\$ 205	\$ 410
3 months -	\$ 465	\$ 930
4 months -	\$ 725	\$1,450
5 months -	\$ 985	\$1,970

A check is enclosed in the amount of the extension fee indicated above, or the extension fee has been included in the check with the accompanying Reply.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$[ ] to cover the cost of the extension fee.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMILTON, BROOK, SMITH &amp; REYNOLDS, P.C.

By Carol A. Egner  
 Carol A. Egner  
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Dated: April 8, 2003

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply for filing in the above-identified application.

[ X ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

[ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(COL. 1)	(COL. 2)	(COL. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDT. FEE
TOTAL	16	MINUS * 52	0	X \$ 9 \$ 0
INDEP				
14	MINUS ** 35	0	X \$42 \$ 0	X \$18 \$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$140 \$	+ \$84 \$
				+ \$280 \$

\* not fewer than 20

\*\* not fewer than 3

TOTAL = \$ 0

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Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for the following fees:

[ ]	Petition for [       ] month Extension of Time	\$ _____
[ ]	Amendment Fee	\$ _____
[ ]	Other Fees:	\$ _____
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
		<b>TOTAL: \$ <u>0</u></b>

A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees:

[ X ]	Petition for one (1) month Extension of Time	\$ <u>55</u>
[ ]	Amendment Fee	\$ _____
[ ]	Other Fees:	\$ _____
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
		<b>TOTAL: \$ <u>55</u></b>

[X] A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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